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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NOVEMBER 3, 2004 OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 3, 2004, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments and consideration of the following remarks in the above-referenced application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper; and

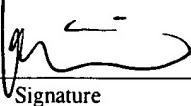
**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.

Reconsideration of this application is respectfully requested.

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